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Re: Professional Rules of Conduct, Rule 8.4(g)

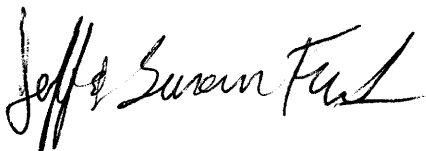
Honorable Members of the Court,

You have called for public comment of the proposed new Rule 8.4(g) of the Professional Rules of Conduct for Montana Attorneys. As concerned citizens of Montana, we hereby submit our request that you reject this rule for the following reasons.

The first amendment covers this issue quite well. All people should have their religious freedoms. We have done fine without this proposed ruling for 2 plus centuries. Government overreach has to be watched carefully in this our free country.

"Tolerance applies only to persons, but not to principles. Intolerance applies to principles, but not to persons".

Sincerely,



Jeff and Susan Fremont